GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:290
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INVOLVEMENT OF OFFICIALS IN ILLEGAL CONSTRUCTIONS
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Will the Minister of URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether in June, 2000 the Union Government have sentany list to C.B.I./Central Vigilance Commissionfor inquiry against the officials involved in illegal constructions in Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the names of these officials;

(c) whether his Ministry propose to take effective steps for expeditious action in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

(a)to(d): No, Sir. However, in December 1999, Ministery of Urban Development launched a special drive against illegal constructions in Delhi. In some cases, connivance of the local officials has been suspected. These cases involved blatant illegal constructions of massive nature in posh colonies. In all 33 cases have been referred to the CBI from timeto time with the request that they should be enquired into and further action taken in accordance with the law. Dates on which these cases have been referred to the CBI are as under:

S.No.	Date	No. of cases
1.	10.1.2000	31
2.	29.1.2000	1
3.	10.5.2000	1